President Will Ask Congress for Authority to Handle Situation

WILSON TO ADDRESS CONGRESS TO-DAY

Expects to Begin Work at 8 o'Clock This Morning on Personal Message.

WILL BE BRIEF AND TO POINT

Chief Executive, at White Sulphur, Keeps in Close Touch With Washington.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., April 15 .- President Wilson will commence work at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning on his personal address to Congress, in which he will request permission to use the army and navy of the United States to "uphold the dignity and de-fend the honor of the nation." The President's private stenographer

the President's private stenographer to-fight was ordered to report for duty of the White House at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning. The President expects immediately to commence dictation, and he will probably complete his address within half an hour. It is expected to be very brief and to the point. The message will probable he point. The message will probably be delivered at noon to-morrow, provided, of course, that a belated dispatch from Huerti does not arrive saying that the dictator will salute the flag, according to the schedule laid out by Rear-Admirtal Mayo.

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This, however, is not expected. A temporizing message from the Mexican dictator reached the President to-day. Over the telephone the President fu-structed Secretary Bryan that he did not consider that this note needed a

The United States is through with note-writing, the President indicated. The next move will be a blow from the mailed fist, a stroke from the Atlantic Fleet, which is now on its way southward, augmented by the torpedo flotilla, which was ordered to Tampleo late last night.

Despite the fact that his physician,

"What are you doing?" inquired the chief executive of the youngsters.

"We are saluting the flag," replied Robert Clay Baugh, of New York.

The President then said: "I hope you will never forget to honor the flag of your country," and moved on. It was not until he had passed that the children learned that the big man with the sad smile was the President of the United States.

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The President and his party left hera at 11:10 to-night. They are scheduled to reach Washington at 7:15

SENATOR SWANSON SAYS DIPLOMACY CAN DO NO MORE

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blockade, he said, could be maintained until the loss of revenue and supplies officers. forced a belated reparation or it might by a simple step on the part of either five destroyers, 250 men and fifteen ofside, lead to war.
As a member of the Senate Foreign

As a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senator Swanson's presence in Washington to-day is of the first importance. Senator Stone, of Mississippi, who is chairman of the committee, is too ill at present to attend to its duties. Representative II. D. Flood, of Virginia, chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Rela-tions, was married in Washington on Saturday

"I guess, Mr. Flood will cut his honeymoon short when he hears the news," observed Senator Swanson with a smile. "No member will want to stay away from Washington in, all this

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Four Years of Turmoil in Mexico.

1910 .- May 30, Madero enters race for presidency. June 27, Porfirio Diaz re-elected President. November 20, Rebels seize Vera Cruz.

November 25, Revolt ends. Madero estates seized. November 27, Five hundred rebels shot by order of government. December 1. Diaz inaugurated December 5, Government peace commission fails.

December 17, Diaz army beaten at La Junta. 1911.—February 6, Mexican troops flee Juarez when rebels surrounded

town. March 9, American troops ordered to Texas points. March 25, Diaz Cabinet quits.

March 28, New Cabinet named. April 5, Madero issues ultimatum declaring Diaz must resign. April 23. Armistice made.

May 25, City of Mexico in hands of mob. May 26, Diaz resigns.

May 27, Diaz escapes.

August 3, Vasquez-Gomez ousted from Cabinet. August 31, Madero elected President.

December 7, Reyes starts new revolt. -February 12, Rebels name Vasques-Gomez leader. October 17, Felix Diaz seizes Vera Cruz.

October 24, Diaz captured and imprisoned. 1913.—January 13, Rebels fire on American troops at Fabens, Tex. January 26, Truce announced.

February 9, Diaz followers seize Mexico City arsenal. February 18, Madero thrown into prison by General Huerta. February 23, Madero shot by soldiers while trying to escape March 1, United States government refuses to recognize Huerta's government.

-April 2, Torreon taken by Villa after a week of fighting. April 9, American marines arrested in Tampico. Their release ordered after protests by Admiral Mayo. April 14, The Atlantic Fleet ordered to Tampico.

WILSON DECLINES MILITARY BASE AT NEWPORT NEWS TO DISCUSS MEXICO

In the event of intervention in Mexico of the control of the regarded as more than probable by local military men that Hampton Roads will be used as a military base for the transport of troops and supplies by water to the scene of hos-Despite the fact that his physician.
Dr. Carey T. Grayson, had instructed him to remain as quiet as possible to-day, the President was noticeably nersupplies by water to the scene of hos-For the first time in months he tillities. By the use of transports, it failed to attend church, but spent the is claimed, long rail trips to far Southmorning strolling over the golf links ern ports can be avoided. It was with Mrs. Wilson. For the first time in months he intitles, by the action of attend clurch, but spent the indiend, long rail trips to far South norming strolling over the golf links ern ports can be avoided. It was a find that will be a standard work in Mrs. Wilson will be a find that there was every probability of a large mobilization of late last night to the effect that first a long drive through the Allicago and the mediately upon rectangles and the mediatel

trio of children, the eldest of whom was carrying an American flag. Apparently unconscious of the presence of the President, the children continued in their play.

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Son marines. Tacoma, 240 men; Nash, and article (hospital ship), 936 men; Nash, ville, 180 men. Total with Admiral Badger, 7,796 men, 500 men; Solace (hospital ship), 936 men; Dixle (repair ship), fourteen destroyers, 1156 men; Dixle (will carry two hydromen). One section (two hydro-aeroplanes) is manned by three officers and ten men each.

Summary of forces in Gulf of Mex.

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Forpedo flottila at San Diego, Call, ive destroyers, 250 men and fifteen of-licers.

Grand total, 19,550 men, 4,270 malines, 855 officers.

DISCUSS PLANS

In Charge of U. S. Fleet



REAR ADMIRAL BADGER.

to the from Huerta up to to-might. Until to-morrow morning, the President will wait for Huerta's reply to reach him, and then he will personally address Congress about noon, asking

Secret Service men dropped back a distance, the President and Mrs. Wilson walked a few hundred yards to one of the benches at a teeing ground.

On Golf Links for Hours.

For an hour the President and Mrs Wilson sat on the links, and then they walked back to the hotel. The nearest

FOR CO-OPERATION

Washington, April 19.—Secretaries Garrison and Daniels, and Assistant Secretary Breckenridge, of the War Department, conferred until long after midnight over plans for co-operation between land and naval forces in any movement that may be undertaken against Mexico, as an outgrowth of the Tampico incident. Later Secretary Garrison had a long talk over the telephone with General Wood, chief of staff of the army. It generally is believed here that General Wood will go to the border to take command. Secretary Garrison said, however, that he had not "ordered anybody to the border yet."

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General Wood is the highest ranking General Wood is the highest ranking officer on the active list of the army. It is detail as chief of staff will expire on Wednesday, and he has been assigned to command of the Department of the East Secretary Garrison has telegraphed to division commanders throughout the country a resume of Huerta's refusal to accede to President Wilson's demand, that his officers may be prepared for any situation. Secretary Daniels sent similar information to all commanders in Mexican waters. Secretary Daniels, as he left the Navy Secretary Daniels, as he left the Navy Department, said no further orders had been issued for ship movements on the

Alleged Gun-Toter.
William Coleman, colored, was arrested yesterday by Dotectivo Sergeants Wiltshire and Bailey on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon, a revolver.

CLARK FOR PEACE, PLAN FIRST MOVE FLETCHER MEETS BUT WITH HONOR OF AMERICAN ARMY BRITISH ADMI

Speaker Declares Monroe Doc- Vera Cruz and Tampico to Be Two Officers Confer for More trine Stronger Than It Ever Was Before.

PREPARED TO MEET TROUBLE

"Let me add to that," he said, "by predicting that if I should get a tele grom to-night from President Wilson American bluejackets.

Short Message From Brynn.

The only message the President had gotten up to 6 o'clock was a short message from Secretary Bryan, paraphrasing Charge O'Shaughnessy's briet note of late last night to the effect that

been emphasized in the order, has given rise to rumors that when the American warships start to enforce President Wilson's orders, they will find, not Federals, but friendly rebels

Frost Predicted in South This Week

Washington, April 19.—Frost as far south as Northern Alabama, was promised at the beginning of the veck by the Weather Bureau to-

"The week will open," said the bulletin, "with showers and low temperatures in the Atlantic States. Freezing temperatures over the Northern States, and with frost as far down as the Texas Panhandle Oklahoma, Northern Arkansas, Ten-nessee and possibly the extreme northern portions of Mississippi and

"By Tuesday the cool weather will reach the Middle Atlantic States and fair weather will prevail for several days. The cool period will be short, and higher temperatures will reach the Atlantic States by the middle of the week. The North-west disturbances will move eastward and southeastward, reaching the central portion of the country by the middle of the week, and prob-ably the Middle Atlantic States a

day or so later.

"In the South Atlantic States fair weather will prevail after Monday. Another disturbance is due in the West by Thursday or Friday, with consequent unsettled conditions and higher temperatures. higher temperatures, that will prob-ably extend not far to the castward by the end of the week."

Seized, and Marines to Hold Railroad Bridge.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, April 19.—The first hos-tile move of the American army will be to seize Vera Cruz and Tampico and

zanilla, Cuba.

Manager Barren, then speaking for the Ward line, declared there ward no guns or cartridges hidden in the cargo, although there was strong suspicion that such was the case. The "munitions," it was asserted, consisted of food supplies. food supplies.

READY FOR DUTY AT INSTANT NOTICE

Douglas, Ariz., April 19 .- The Ninth and Tenth (negro) Cavalry on the Arizona and New Mexico border are ready and Tenth (negro) Cavalry on the Arizona and New Mexico border are ready for field duty at a moment's notice. Instructions received from the War Department have resulted in the piacing of railroad equipment on sidings at Douglas, Nogales and Naco, prepared to transport United States troops if one of Independence was signed there was but one republic on genth—Switzerland—whereas there are now twenty-six republies, created in a great measure by our influence.

"We did it," said the Speaker. "And by the wholesomeness of our example, teaching the whole world that men can rule themselves we have liberalized the government of every nation on earth."

Speaker Clark declared that his prayer for all his countrymen was "that every voter be educated to read his ballot on election day, and sufficiently courageous to cast it as becomes an American citizen."

Refering to the bill in Congress providing for government ownership of telephone lines he said that the next would be a bill for control of the telegraph and next the railroads.

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Previous to delivering his address at the church the Speaker was the guest of honor at a nonpartisan dinner at the Hotel Marzeilles, at which Water M. Chandler, of the Nineteenth District, a Bull Moose, was present.

TROOPS UNDER ORDERS.

Bound for Mexican Waters,
New York, April 19.—The battleship North Dakota, commanded by Captain Charles P. Plunkett, passed Quarantine at 5.55 o'clock this afternoon, bound for Mexican waters.
During the day hundreds of persons visited the Brooklyn Navy Yard, where the North Dakota was coaling and provisioning, and bade farewell to relatives and friends on board the Dreadnought.

Beta Chapter of Kappa Psi Hears Talks on Unholding of Honor System.

Beta Chapter of the Kappa Psi medical fraternity held its annual banquet at Murphy's Hotel Saturday night. Plates were laid for Drs. Brodnax, William Dunn, John Dunn, Virginius Harrison, Stuart MacLean and H. O. Fitzgerald, Jr., and Messrs. Caldwell, Bynum. Cata. Bowman, Waiton, Corns, Willis, Waikup, Perry, Putney, Ozlin, Wilholt, Dalton, Shelbourne, J. G. Smith, Childress, Vivar, Thomas, Cox, Moffatt, Davis, Barnette, Spencer, Keese, Rhudy, Rives, Parson, Dodson, Barney, J. A. Sanders, U. O. Sanders, Lilly, Fox, Wolf, Woodruff, Thornhill and Large. and Large.
Interesting addresses were made, and stress was laid on the role of the greater of the medical fraternities in upholding the honor system.

NOT FIT TO BE A MOTHER

Ruling Against Woman Who Wears Trailing Against Woman Who Wears
Tights in Public.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Philadelphia, April 18.—A woman
who wears tights in public in the
course of her work as an actress is
not a fit mother for a nine-year-old

This, in substance, is the meaning of the decision handed down by Com-mon Pleas Court when the petition mon Pleas Court when the petition of Mrs. C. W. Rhoades for the custody of her nine-year-old son, William, was refused. The child was handed over to his grandmother, Mrs. Catharine Rhoades. The court found that the mother had neglected and refused to provide for the child for a year, and declared her an unit person to have

provide for the child for a year, and declared her an unfit person to have the custody of the boy.

A large photograph of the mother in tights was shown to the court during the hearing to sustain the arguments on the grandmother's side,

Steamer Abandons Search.
St. John's, N. F., April 19.—The government steamship Kyle, which was sent out to search for the missing sealer, Southern Cross, has abandoned its search, and is returning here. The Southern Cross is officially given up for lost.

BRITISH ADMIRAL Your Orchestra

Than Hour, but Nothing Is Known of Their Plans.

Vera Cruz, April 19.—The British rear-admiral, Sir Christopher Craddock, who arrived here to-day from Tampico abourd the cruiser Essex, was visited by Rear-Admiral Frank F. Fletcher,

Presents Picture of Greatness of Republic and Its Widespread Influence.

New York, April 12.—Speaker Clark, in an address at the West End Prespitorian Church to-night, prenounced himself a man of peace, but always with peace with honor.

Without referring directly to Mexicon crisis, the Speaker, in presenting a picture of the greatness of the mainer we are prepared to meet it. He defined the Monroe Doctrine as meaning, that "we warm all nations of the earth not to lone harp of the safet hor of the surface of the crisis has provided by the safet hor of the safet

and General Strike in Every Industry.

retary of War.

Columbia, S. C., April 19.—Refusing to withdraw a letter to which Secretary of War Garrison took exception, Governor Cole L. Blease to-day sent his preply to the secretary's ultimatum that unless the matter objected to were twithdrawn by Monday morning, the southeastern militury manoeuvre camp would be held elsewhere than in South Carolina. The Governor also declined to invite the troops to camp on the list of Palms, the place tentatively selected, saying it would offend "other changement."

His letter after going over the controversy, said in part:

"I assure you, sir, that the people of South Carolina would be belased to have the encanpment—at least many of them would be—but I do not believe that there is one who would want it at a sacrifice of the dighty of the Governor of the State. I stated in my letter of the 2th that I considered that I had not been treated with the proper courtesy in the matter. Under no conditions or circumstances on earth would I withdraw that statement, because I still think that I was not treated with the proper courtesy. I have never objected to the encanpment belong held in this State—on the contrary, I wired, as my Rock Hill message shows, not only that I wanted it in the State, but that I would do what I could to make it successful.

I am still of the opinion that I was

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not treated with the proper courtesy in the matter, and I will always say so until you, as Secretary of War, say that you did not intend to treat the Governor of South Carolina with discourtesy. When you say that I will be pleased to accept your statement. Until then I will maintain that I should have been consulted before the final order was issued in this matter."

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POLK OUT OF DANGER

Improves So Rapidly He Will Be Taken from Hospital in Day or Two.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, April 19 .- Corporation Counsel Polk, who was shot in the Jaw by Michael Mahoney, the would-be assassin of Mayor Mitchel is out of all danger from infection of the wound, his physicians said to-night. Mr. Polk has improved so rapidly he will be taken from the hospital within a day or two

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Manoney appeared to be in the best of spirits in his Tombs cell. He pleaded so hard for a smoke that he was given a corn ceb pipe and some tobacco and he smoked all day. Dr. Frank McGuire, the Tombs physician, conversed with him for an hour for the purpose of making observations of the prisoner's mental condition. He refused to discuss his findings, Mahoney will probably be indicted for attempted murder to-morrow.

And General Strike in Every Industry.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

New York, April 19.—A general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and navy and a general strike of the army and class.

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